

In re:

CORE SCIENTIFIC, INC., *et al.*,

Debtors.¹

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Chapter 11

Case No. 22- 90341 (CML)

(Jointly Administered)

Re: Docket No. 543

**DECLARATION AND DISCLOSURE STATEMENT OF ROBERT S. LARSEN,
ON BEHALF OF GORDON REES SCULLY MANSUKHANI, LLP**

I, Robert S. Larsen, hereby declare, pursuant to section 1746 of title 28 of the United States Code:

1. I am a Partner of Gordon Rees Scully Mansukhani, LLC in its Las Vegas, Nevada office located at 300 S. 4th St., Suite 1550, Las Vegas Nevada 89101 (the “**Firm**”) and Chair of its opinion practice group.

2. Core Scientific, Inc. and its debtor affiliates, as debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the “**Debtors**”), have requested that the Firm provide a local counsel opinion on behalf of Debtor American Property Acquisitions I, LLC related to a credit facility to be entered into by the Debtors, and the Firm has consented to provide such services (the “**Services**”).

3. The Firm may have performed services in the past and may perform services in the future, in matters unrelated to these chapter 11 cases, for persons that are parties in interest in the Debtors’ chapter 11 cases. As part of its customary practice, the Firm is retained in cases,

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor’s federal tax identification number, are as follows: Core Scientific Mining LLC (6971); Core Scientific, Inc. (3837); Core Scientific Acquired Mining LLC (6074); Core Scientific Operating Company (5526); Radar Relay, Inc. (0496); Core Scientific Specialty Mining (Oklahoma) LLC (4327); American Property Acquisition, LLC (0825); Starboard Capital LLC (6677); RADAR LLC (5106); American Property Acquisitions I, LLC (9717); and American Property Acquisitions VII, LLC (3198). The Debtors’ corporate headquarters is 210 Barton Springs Road, Suite 300, Austin, Texas 78704. The Debtors’ service address is 2407 S. Congress Ave, Suite E-101, Austin, Texas 78704.

proceedings, and transactions involving many different parties, some of which may represent or be claimants or employees of the Debtors, or other parties-in-interest in these chapter 11 cases. The Firm does not perform services for any such person in connection with these chapter 11 cases. In addition, the Firm does not have any relationship with any such person, their attorneys, or accountants that would be adverse to the Debtors or their estates with respect to the matters on which the Firm is to be retained.

4. Neither I, nor any principal of, or professional employed by the Firm has agreed to share or will share any portion of the compensation to be received from the Debtors with any other person other than the principals and regular employees of the Firm.

5. Neither I, nor any principal of, or professional employed by the Firm, insofar as I have been able to ascertain, holds or represents any interest adverse to the Debtors or their estates, with respect to the matters on which the Firm is to be retained.

6. The Debtors owe the Firm \$0.00 for prepetition services.

7. The Firm is conducting further inquiries regarding its retention by any creditors of the Debtors, and upon conclusion of that inquiry, or at any time during the period of its employment, if the Firm should discover any facts bearing on the matters described herein, the Firm will supplement the information contained in this Declaration.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on: December 12, 2023

By  _____